

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application:

1. (Currently amended) A bracket comprising:
a connector housing having a cable wiring surface onto which a cable are is
wired;
a bus bar circuit disposed in an exposed state on the cable wiring surface;
a pressure welding edge formed on the bus bar circuit for connecting the cable to
the bus bar circuit by pressure welding; and
a lower cable support rib disposed on the cable wiring surface for supporting the
cable ~~not to be contacted to the bus bar circuit except the pressure welding edge~~ such
that the cable can contact the pressure welding edge but not the bus bar circuit.
2. (Currently amended) The bracket according to claim 1, wherein the lower cable
support rib is disposed in ~~the~~ a vicinity of the bus bar circuit.
3. (Currently amended) The bracket according to claim 1, wherein the lower cable
support rib is configured so as to be higher than ~~the~~ a top surface of the bus bar circuit
and lower than ~~the~~ a bottom surface of the cable pressure-welded to the pressure
welding edges.
4. (Currently amended) The bracket according to claim 1, further comprising:

a cover disposed on the connector housing for covering the cable wiring surface;
and

an upper cable support rib disposed on ~~the~~ an internal surface of the cover and configured to be high enough to abut ~~the~~ a top surface of the cable in ~~the~~ a state where the cover is mounted on the connector housing.

5. (Previously presented) The bracket according to claim 4, further comprising:
first cable-end support portions disposed on both ends of the connector housing;
and

second cable-end support portions disposed on both ends of the cover for supporting the cable to be disposed approximately parallel with the cable wiring surface above the bus bar circuits, in cooperation with the first cable-end support portions.